

# DIPPy

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DIPPY Game #15, the Mikulaj, 1979F, Fall, 1912:

England (Bernie Oaklyn): a lon-YOR; f lyc-PIE; f w med-LYO; f mid-W MED; A KIEL-mun; a den-BER; A LVN-mos; ~~xxxxxx~~ A HOL-kiel; A MAR sup f lyc-pie; F N-AFR sup f mid-w med; F SPA SC sup f w med-lye; a bud sup a kiel-mun; NO SUCH UNIT!; A RUHR sup a kiel-mun; F BAL con a den-ber; a stp sup a lvn-mos; NO SUCH UNIT-IT'S A F STP NC AND IT CAN'T SUP INTO MOS; A BUR, unordered, H; F BOT, unordered, H;  
CONTROLS: sdi, lvp, lon, hol, kiel, den, bel, por, swe, spa, nwy, mar, bre, par, stp, ber-16 No change.

Russia (CIVIL DISORDER): A MOS H; a war-h/~~DISLODGED~~; destroyed; A PRU H  
CONTROLS: mos, mun-2. No change.

Turkey-Freedomia (Ken Iverson): f pie-lyo/~~DISLODGED~~; destroyed; f ion-TYRR; f aeg-ION; F TUN sup f ion-tyrr; F TUS sup f ion-tyrr; a bul-SER; a con-BUL; A BOH-mun; A TYRO sup a boh-mun; ~~XXX~~ A SEV H; a gal-WAR; A UKR sup a gal-war  
CONTROLS: con, amy, bul, gre, ank, ser, tri, nap, rome, ven, bud, vie, rum, sev, war, tun-16 (Add five, but only 3 places to build).

Standby: None

DEADLINE for Winter, 1912, adjustments is mail delivery of March 11, 1981

Press:

ENGLAND TO TURKEY—Give back Serbia in the other game, huh? What a hoax! I hereby declare war on Turkey in this game. You shall take second place, and I shall be victor. Who ever heard of a 17-17 split when you don't even tell the GM which Russian units to remove properly. Say, you, you hep?

DIPPY Game #16, the Three Mile Island, 1979AS, Spring, 1911:

Austria-Hungary (Ron Gorski): A BER-kiel; A PRU-ber; A SIL sup Italian a mun

England (Bernie Oaklyn): F EDI-nwg; F BAL sup f nth-deng F NTH-den; A KIEL H; f mid, unordered, h/~~DISLODGED~~, must retreat to por, bra, eng ch, iri, or otb

France (John Stewart): A RUHR sup English a kiel; A BUR-mar; A GAS sup a bur-mar; F MAR-lyon; F SPA NC sup f n atl-mid; ~~XXXXXX~~ F N ATL-Mid

Italy (Dwayne Shreve): f nwy-nth; NO SUCH UNIT!; F NWG, unordered, H; F LYC-spa sc; f rome-TYRR; F NAP H; A PIE-mar; A MUN-kiel; A TYRO-mun

Russia (Jack Frost): A SWE sup f ska-den; F SKA-den; A NWY-cly

Turkey (Darryl Mellema): f w med-MID; F N-AFR sup f w med-mid; f tyrr-W MED; F ION H; A GRE H; A CON H; A GAL H; A WAR H; ~~xxxx~~ A NWG pru; A BOH sup Italian a mun

Standby: Needed. Subs get a \$1 g discount on a future DIPPY game fee.

DEADLINE for Fall, 1911 orders is mail delivery of March 11, 1981

Press:

PARIS-WORLD—Hey! I know it is supposed to be a crazy world out there, but come on! Attack each other or something. How about it?

DIPPY Game #17, the Havlicek, 1980CS, Winter, 1904:

Gentlemen, please excuse us. We did indeed make an error in the adjudications last time, and the Russian a rum did indeed succeed in taking Budapest from the Austro-Hungarian empire!

Austria-Hungary (Bernie Oaklyn): a bud retreats to TRI...a gal is removed...Also has A VIE

England (Darryl Mellema): No change. Has F ENG CH, A WAL, A STP NC, F BAR

France (Paul Goodrich): No change. Has A PAR, A BUR, A GAS, F MID, F MAR

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Germany (Jack Frost): a bur-retreats to ~~GERMANY~~ RUHR...Builds A BER...Also has A PIC, A HUN, A PRU, A NWY, F NTH, SF SPA

Italy (Dwayne Shreve): No change. Has A PIE, F APU, F ION, A TYRO

Russia (Al Ronderos): f nwy is retreated off...Builds A MOS...Also has A LVN, A BOH, A HUN, A WAR

Turkey (Koch Iverson): Builds F SMY. Also has A SER, A BUL, F GRE, F E MED, F ALB

Standby: Ron Kelly

DEADLINE for Spring, 1905 orders is mail delivery of March 11, 1981

Press:

PAR TO ANYONE WHO WILL LISTEN: How long will it take for the rest of you to see what the Germans are up to? Reminds me of 1939 when Adolph did the same thing. The English and Italians let themselves get kicked around then too! It seems only the Russians have any sense, and it may be too late for them.

AUSTRIA TO ITALY—Telephoned in my moves and conveniently forgot this one. At least I did not piss in my boot while my boot was deep into bass waters.; Dummy!

DIPPY Game #18, the Sidewinder, 1981H, Fall, 1901:

Austria-Hungary (John Stewart): ~~GERMANY~~ A SER sup Russian f rum-bul ec; a tri-BUD; f alb-GRE

CONTROLS: bud, tri, vie, gre, ser--5 (Add 2)

England (Jim Feil): f lon-ENG CH; a lvp-EDI; f edi-NTH

CONTROLS: medi, lvp, lon--3 No change.

France (Bernie Oaklyn): a mar-SPA; a bur-RUR; f pic-BEL

CONTROLS: bre, mar, par, bel, spa--5 (Add 2)

Germany (Paul Goodrich): F DEN-swe; a kiel-HOL; a mun-BUR

CONTROLS: ber, kiel, mun, den, hol--5 (Add 2)

X Italy (Luis Porteny): a ven-TYRO; a apu-TUN; F ION con a apu-tun

CONTROLS: nap, rome, ven, tun--4 (Add 1)

Russia (Tony Auxier): f rum-BEL EC; a ukr-RUM; a lvn-MOS; F BOT-swe

CONTROLS: mos, stp, sev, war, bul, rum--6 (Add 2)

Turkey (Mark Keenan): a bul h-DISLODED, destroyed; f con-AEU; a ank-CON

CONTROLS: ank, con, smy--3 (Add 1)

Standby: Jack Frost

DEADLINE for Winter, 1901 adjustments is mail delivery of March 11, 1981

Press:

BER-MOS: Until you explain the reason for the army in Livonia I am afraid we will have to deny you access to Sweden.

BER-PAR: I had hoped to avoid this but you seem set on war.

ST PETERSBURG TO LONDON—The Tsar wishes to know if his grandmother, the queen was only ill last season or if he should make plans to attend her funeral in London.

HINSDALE TO LUIS PORTENY—Retreats and/or builds are due next turn, i.e. with mail delivery of March 11. However, if majority of players in game wishes to combine ~~fall~~ ~~winter~~ Winter builds with Spring moves we can do it. Usually, however, that doesn't happen until later in a game when there are fewer countries around. But its up to the players of the game...

BURGUNDY—What's this! A german infiltration attempt into the berry patch! Heaven! Is there no honor? Is there no German owned Holland?

VIENNA-WORLD—The Department of Information announced that the recent flu epidemic (the Turkish virus) delayed much communication with the outside world.

It was also announced that the Austrian ambassador to Italy has received death threats from various radical groups. The government of Italy will, of course, be held responsible for his safety.

Sbohem,

Oscar Twiddie,  
Gamesmaster

# GILLESPIE TO THE RESCUE!

## GORK'S OFFICE BURGLARIZED

CHICAGO—Ron Gorski's plush downtown skyscraper executive office was burglarized by what the victim calls "a dude" this Friday. Luckily, the Gork was not hurt in the incident.

The victim had just gone into the engineer's lounge to get a cup of coffee when he noticed it was time to feed his parking meter. Upon returning back to the office, to get his coat, he noticed his desktop television-radio was missing. Swiftly, he sprinted into the 4th floor lobby and heard an elevator door close.

Arriving at Paul Harvey's office, he learned a young man of the dark persuasion had just left the ABC executive office complex, carrying a gun bag. No one else had been seen in the area from the time the Gork left to get his coffee until he returned to discover the theft.

Taking his well-known karate-like posture, the Gork searched from the 5th floor to the basement, but turned up nothing. He notified the internal security task force of the building (an old guy who runs the freight elevator and an Iranian student) and returned to work, taking out his frustration on the granite facia of the building lobby.

To quote a well-known radio personality co-worker, the Gork told us EXCLUSIVELY, "It's a jungle out there."

Yet Another Year of this Silliness INSTEAD OF A "QUOTEABLE," this week, we have a DEFINITION: "Reaganomics" the art of getting elected President by demanding a balanced budget, and then proposing a \$45 billion dollar deficit for fiscal 1982. Jimmy Carter's proposal was for a 1982 deficit of \$27½ billion. CALENDAR: Feb 22-28 is Harsh Grating Noise Week, highlighted by Mary Gannon's birthday (23rd), and Monster Enchiladas Attack Tucson (24th)...

FIVE YEARS AGO IN THE STAR, police in Skokie were denying that an earth tremor had rocked the eastern portion of the world's largest village. Instead, it was kitchen remodeling work going on at the home of Donn Pearlman. Neighbors had been complaining about the loud noises, but Pearlman, seen polishing a 12 gauge shotgun, said he'd deal with the neighbors later.

Stu Truelsen declared that the posh Chicago restaurant, Arnie's, stinks. Arnie's is located in the same building on State Street where Truelsen lived at that time. A reliable source, Stu's doorman, reported that the nauseating odor in the building was a result of the grease trap at Arnie's overflowing.

In sports, Jackson Hole had run its TRA record to 10-0 with victories over Terre Haute and Macomb (PTG), and franchises were said to still be available in the ill-fated Transcontinental Baseball League (APBA)...

GERINGER'S PLAYERS present Philip Barry's play "Heritage" on Fri and Sat, March 6 and 7, at 8pm at the Thomas Memorial Church, 64th Place and Homan. There's a final performance on Sun, Mar 8, at 3pm. Tickets are \$1.50. The play tells the story of five women who influenced the life of Abraham Lincoln. WBLM staffer Mary Novak plays Mary Todd.

by Emil Kolacek, West Suburban Editor

RIVERSIDE, Feb 14—

Jim Gillespie became a hero for two wild house cats here today when he told Riverside police that he'd adopt the cats—if the police could catch them. Of course, since the felines had been raised in the wilds of Gillespie's garage, this was a task impossible for an ordinary human being.

The whole incident began when a neighbor lady, who had been feeding the cats, felt sorry for them because their mother had been killed in a wild animal fight. She wanted to adopt the animals. But when she picked one up and tried to hand it to Gillespie the beast bolted (who could blame it?) and scratched the woman. She immediately became frantic and declared that she'd been bitten.

This brought in the police and the need to catch the cats, and lop off their heads in a rabies test, provided no one claimed them. In that case they could be held for 10 days and then returned to their owner.

That owner became our feline lover, Gillespie, who rather than permit them to lose their heads, entertained thoughts of breeding them with his Great Gray, Everycat.

The question of course became moot since the cats proved uncatchable, and little effort was made after it was pointed out that a scratch and not a bite had touched off the whole thing.

BOOB TUBE BLITHERINGS

By Gary Boob

JERRY FARBER has been nudged out again by STEVE DAHL! Dahl was re-hired this week by ~~WLS~~ WLS-FM (formerly WRCK, WDAI) putting to rest strong reports issued by Farber that the insurance salesman would make a big comeback in broadcasting. And this columnist has learned TONY (MR UL APPROVED) PENNI was also being considered for the 'LS jock spot. But management rejected both because they were too exciting.

Meantime, our own PHIL KOSIN may be in line to replace the loud-mouthed HARRY CARAY. "Cheeks" certainly could fill the void in that respect! Since Caray's falling out with management, the market's been wide open for a TV replacement, and the former author/hypnotist could add a lot of weight to the Sox broadcasts. But your columnist has learned the lovable LES GROBSTEIN would probably get the nod over Kosin. Also waiting in the wings is the ever-popular RICH KING. You remember Rich, the 4th banana in a 2 banana show!

Word around ABC is that MAX ROBINSON's days are numbered. Robinson reportedly charged the company with racism! And he's probably right. It sure is racism when a guy like Robinson, who can't read 2-syllable words, gets a job over ~~black~~ qualified people just because he's black. There's many a story about how Robinson supposedly covers a story, from the back seat of his limousine!

And our favorite commercial of the week is the EUGENE BARNES ~~new~~ spot for the CTA. This guy can't even talk, let alone drive a bus, let alone run the CTA! Instead of saying, "The fare has gone up to 80 cents," he says, "Has gone up to 80 cent a ride." 80 cent. Yikes!

Beam me up Scotty, there's no intelligent life here!

AUTHOR TAYLOR CALIWELL still hasn't confirmed—or even been asked—whether her latest soon-to-be-released historical novel will focus on the shocking exploits of WBEM Radio personnel. The book—tentatively titled KAPLANS AND THE KINGS—is a sure best-seller. Rumor has it she'll sell all rights to CBS—which is anxious to dispose of any and all copies of the book. Expect a serialization in PEOPLE and/or GARY DEEB's column.

SOUTH CICERO PROMOTIONS is organizing a Dim Sum Sunday brunch in Chicago's Chinatown on Sunday, March 1st, 11am at the Mandar Inn. For more information, contact the STAR.

And Jerry Farber suggests that the next do-it-yourself feast that we put together should have a Western motif, such as an LBJ-style barbecue. Any other suggestions? Contact the STAR.

ASK MADGE

By Madge Greenhart

Oh, ah, it's so good to be back!

The RICH KINGS preparing for that month long tryst in Florida. Hold onto your ~~canes~~ canes, you geriatrics down there. It promises to be a swinging time!

Madgie's biggest kiss to DAVE EANET, who got the nod for a New York job with ABC radio sports. But Dave made the wise move. He won't bend over for Roone!

Our own JIM BENES is looking to the brighter side, and has enrolled in a health club. Jimmie once told me he likes the smell of men's locker rooms! Titter titter.

Meantime, JOE AND KATHY ANTOSIAK are trying to figure out which end to wipe first! Ah, nothing like a first baby.

"Goo goo" to you two.

Our own RON AND GAIL GORSKI have given again of their precious bodily fluids at the blood bank, while RICH NYLAK made another deposit at the sperm bank! He was rejected again.

ANDI WILEY seen hob-nobbing in Houston this past week at an ABA convention. Silly girl. She keeps wearing that T-shirt that says, "Love a lawyer. Their briefs are Great."

On that note from down south, Madgie bids you a fond kissie-kiss and huggy-bear until next time! Smooch!

TV HIGHLIGHTS

THE RON GORSKI SHOW. Ron makes fun of everybody, and is killed.

GREEN THUMB. Laffs galore as Gardener Gail Gorski finds out that hard way that her toilet paper doesn't pass the "finger boke" test.

THIS OLD HOUSE. Jim Benes remodels his house with a bulldozer.

MY BODY IS A TEMPLE. Hilarity at its best as Jim Gillespie tries to get up out of a chair.

THE TOM ENG SHOW (sitcom). Tom goes to work for H&L Brock.

BASKETBALL

TRANSCONTINENTAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION  
PETERS TO HANDLE STATS NEXT YEAR!

By Horace Flambo, STAR Rocky Mtn Corr  
DENVER, Feb 18—Sources close to the TBA Commissioner's office here have told the STAR that Nevada owner Alan Peters will be named within the next few weeks to takeover the job of league statistician for the 1931-32 campaign.

Peters will replace the current stat man and league founder, Jim Benes, who also owns the Whitehorse franchise in the association. TBA Commissioner will announce that Benes is stepping down for "personal reasons." The STAR has learned, however, that these reasons include Benes' plans to hunt communist squirrels in the wilus of Hinsdale.

Other sources in the Commissioner's office say the appointment of Peters will mean an extensive overhaul of the current TBA record keeping procedures. "Now you can look forward to such records as 'Most Points by a Left Handed Forward in an Odd Numbered Quarter' appearing in the TBA yearbook" quipped our source.

Standing of the Clubs

| team            | w   | l            | team        | w | l  |
|-----------------|-----|--------------|-------------|---|----|
| <b>FRONTIER</b> |     |              |             |   |    |
| Nevada          | 12  | 4            | Bolingbrook | 9 | 5  |
| Jackson Hole    | 11  | 4            | Augusta     | 8 | 7  |
| Lincoln Park    | 7   | 7            | Alliance    | 5 | 10 |
| Adak            | 3   | 10           | Salem       | 2 | 10 |
| <b>VALLEY</b>   |     |              |             |   |    |
| Hattiesburg     | 14  | 0            | Roswell     | 7 | 6  |
| Macomb          | 5   | 4            | Whitehorse  | 8 | 8  |
| Lahaina         | 3   | 7            | Peoria      | 6 | 7  |
| Hinsdale        | 2   | 9            | Naperville  | 4 | 13 |
| <b>RESULTS:</b> |     |              |             |   |    |
| Lincoln Park    | 106 | Naperville   | 71          |   |    |
| Alliance        | 13  | Naperville   | 83          |   |    |
| Bolingbrook     | 96  | Whitehorse   | 92          |   |    |
| Hattiesburg     | 123 | Hinsdale     | 123         |   |    |
| Hattiesburg     | 110 | Lahaina      | 83          |   |    |
| Bolingbrook     | 101 | Lahaina      | 91          |   |    |
| Alliance        | 103 | Bolingbrook  | 101         |   |    |
| Lahaina         | 104 | Alliance     | 98          |   |    |
| Hattiesburg     | 113 | Peoria       | 107         |   |    |
| Peoria          | 97  | Naperville   | 95          |   |    |
| Nevada          | 126 | Adak         | 92          |   |    |
| Nevada          | 100 | Adak         | 84          |   |    |
| Nevada          | 97  | Lincoln Park | 84          |   |    |
| Lincoln Park    | 114 | Nevada       | 91          |   |    |

THE WEEK'S BEST: Unavailable at press time.  
SCHEDULE: OVERDUE: Mac @ Hat; All @ Mac;  
Ros @ Peo; Mac @ Hins; Hins @ Mac; Adak @  
LP; Mac @ Whse; LP @ Adak; Hat @ Nev;

BASEBALL

THE WINTER LEAGUE

Standing of the clubs

| team      | w  | l  | pct  | gb             |
|-----------|----|----|------|----------------|
| Yankees   | 19 | 11 | .633 | —              |
| Indians   | 19 | 12 | .613 | $\frac{1}{2}$  |
| Cards     | 22 | 17 | .564 | $1\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Royals    | 19 | 17 | .523 | 3              |
| White Sox | 16 | 19 | .457 | $5\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Cubs      | 16 | 21 | .432 | $6\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Expos     | 14 | 21 | .400 | $7\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Braves    | 13 | 20 | .394 | $7\frac{1}{2}$ |

Royals' pitchers hurl three shutouts at the White Sox en route to sweeping a 5 game series. Splitteroff, Leonard, and Colborn tossed the whitewashes, while the Royals held the White Sox to just 3 runs in 48 innings. Al Cowens went 8 for 18 in the series, but at his hitting streak stopped at 22, just one short of Fred Lynn's Winter League record of 23. He hit .396 during the streak.

Dizzy Dean's third one-hit ~~xx~~ shutout of the season led the Cards' hurlers as the Cards took 4 of 5 from the Cubs. It was one of three shutouts thrown by the St Louis staff. Daffy Dean and Tex Carleton had the others. Joe Medwick extended his hitting streak to 15 straight and was 12 for 18 with 2 doubles, 2 triples, 2 homeruns and 5 RBI in the series. (APBA)

TERROR OF THE COURTS

LOMBARD—It's becoming commonplace for an ambulance to be parked outside the "Glass Courts" here every Saturday morning. "The Terror of the Courts" has come to haunt racketball players. The Terror of course, is Ron Gorski, whose concept of the game is "If you can't beat 'em, hurt 'em."

So far this young season, Gorski has sent King packing with shots to the shoulder, back of the head, and ear.

And poor Jim Benes was the most recent victim, suffering a solid smash to the arm.

Gorski told the STAR, "I can't wait to get Rich Mylak out here. He's so skinny, I think I can pump the ball right thru him!"

Peo @ Ros; Mac @ Salem; Bgk @ Salem; Ros @ Peo; Hins @ Hat; Salem @ Peo; Hat @ Bgk; Hins @ LP; Adak @ Salem; All @ JH;

DUE 2/20: Aug @ Lah; Salem @ Hins; Ros @ Mac; JH @ Adak

DUE 2/23: Peo @ All; Nap @ Nev  
(H.G.)

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